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CARDIOVASCULAR DISORDERS

) Group Art Unit 1614

) Examiner D. Jagoc

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**REVOCATION; NEW APPOINTMENT AND NEW MAILING ADDRESS**

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Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

G.D. SEARLE & CO. (having now changed its name to G.D. SEARLE LLC), as assignee of record of the entire interest of the subject application, as recorded at Reel 9278; Frame 0649, acting through its undersigned representative, hereby:

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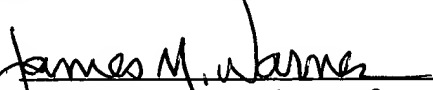
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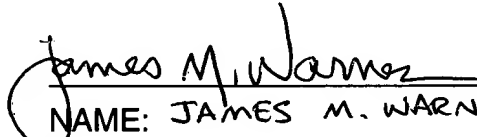
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ESTABLISHING RIGHT OF ASSIGNEE TO TAKE ACTION**

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G.D. SEARLE & CO. (having now changed its name to G.D. SEARLE LLC), the assignee of record of the entire interest of the subject application, as recorded at Reel 9278; Frame 0649, seeks to take action in the PTO in this matter. A chain of title from the inventors to G.D. SEARLE & CO. is established by the assignments recorded at Reel 9278; Frame 0649.

I, the person signing below, state that I am empowered to sign this statement on behalf of the assignee, G.D. SEARLE & CO. (having now changed its name to G.D. SEARLE LLC).

  
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